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There was a time when nothing could keep me out of my own column. Wars might arise, elections might be held, the usual accidents incumbent on the human race might happen, but, on no account was I shelved. But, of late, the editors, proprietors, managers and factotums of this office have become mercenary, and, behold, I have to make way for an advertisement. I am beginning to feel like Kipling's veteran,

"I'm old and I'm nervous"
"I'm dropped from the servics!"

However, I'll not collapse without a kick or two, or without having something to say regarding the topics of the period. My! what a bustle there is in town, "What's the latest war news?" one hears everywhere, and just as I write this the same old question is being asked "Where is Buller?" I sincerely trust by the time these lines are being read we will have heard something satisfactory of that much-in-evidence gentleman. Talk about responsibility! What a big load cast on him. But, so it must be with all in responsible places. I hold to my original view that war is something horrible, and I can scarcely conceive of any sober, middle aged man who regards it with equanimity. The young are thoughtless and love a scrap, but the old and middle aged find cares and troubles enough in the ordinary walk of life, without "seeking the bubble reputation even at the cannon's mouth. We need to learn to take our war news calmly, as well as our election news, and never to triumph over a fallen foe. I have heard good Christian men and women saying they hope every Boer man, woman and child will be killed. I don't feel that way. I am selfish enough to want to see them killed in preference to our own men, but should the war soon cease, with our side victorious, I would like to see generosity meted out to our enemies. It is true generals cannot be sentimental on the field of battle, spies must be shot that others may decline the work of spies. In other words, in war, whatever we may say in other events, the end must justify the means. Now, I have had my say. You will find me in this column until the county council with about ten columns of stuff comes along again and kicks me out.

Now a word for the county council. They are a good lot of fellows, and are really about the best sample of a governing body that we have. I think they are a hard lot of men, for the party whip to bring into line. As a general thing the gentleman of the country, is more independent than the gentleman of the town, not that he is, perhaps, naturally so, but he is not so keen after an office. This, perhaps again is because he doesn't think his chances for office are good. Anyway he has a good deal of independence about him. This was noticeable at the last council meeting. It was also noticeable that the councillors are fickle. One afternoon they decided a question, off hand, and to the utter surprise of everybody the next morning they completely undid what, they had the previous afternoon accomplished. I have noticed this trait in our county council on many occasions, and am somewhat at lost to account for it. They certainly wiggled and wobbled over the gaol question. And, today, no one seems to know just what will be done with the gaol. There will be none in the town, anyway. Let the town people accept this view. If they cannot have the gaol they at least have the privilege of a pest house, and that should satisfy them. The council did well on the contingent insurance question, and they did the work promptly. Taking them altogether they are not a bad lot at all.

"Col." Sam Hughes has arrived in South Africa, but from late accounts was out of a job. He was bound to go as an officer to the front. I have no objections to an officer in the service declining to go to the front as a private, when it is a purely volunteer affair and only a few are wanted. But, I object to an officer making an awful time about his desire to die for his Queen and country, and choosing the position in which he shall die. Now, if a man is keen for war, he can always, provided the doctor will pass him, serve his country. He is serving his country to the better purpose, for he is doing it at a great personal sacrifice. Going to war as an officer, and going to war as a private are quite distinct things, but if an officer is bound to go to war, and cannot wait till his corps is called out, the best thing for him to do is to leave home his sword and dignity, and march to the front as a common private. He can serve his country in that capacity, and also show his true soldier spirit.

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